

**761—911.2(321,324A) Definitions.** For the purpose of these rules, the following definitions apply:

“*Automobile*” means the same as defined in Iowa Code section 321.1.

“*Bus*” means a motor vehicle, excluding a trailer, designed to carry ten or more persons.

“*Contract*” means a written agreement between a public or nonpublic school or other group and a regional transit system which defines the terms and conditions under which school transportation service is to be provided. It shall not include the relationship between a regional transit system and an individual fare-paying passenger in either fixed route or demand response service.

“*Multipurpose vehicle*” means the same as defined in Iowa Code section 321.1.

“*Public transit system*” means the same as defined in Iowa Code section 324A.1.

“*Regional transit system*” means the same as defined in Iowa Code section 324A.1.

“*School bus*” means a bus that complies with all federal motor vehicle safety standards applicable to a school bus.

“*School transportation service*” means transit service provided under contract to a public or nonpublic school or other group, including day care centers, to transport students to or from schools or school-sponsored activities.

“*Student*” means a person attending a public or nonpublic school, grades prekindergarten through high school, including a Head Start participant.

“*Vehicle*” means an automobile, multipurpose vehicle, bus or school bus as defined in this rule.

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